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SPRINGFIELD LIBRARY PROGRAMS JANUARY 5-10

MONDAY@4:30 FOR TWEENS

Warm Winter Fun; No Mittens Required

On Monday, January 5, 2015, visit the library for snowmen, snowball fights, ice-skating and snow angels—all your favorite winter fun without the cold. We'll top it off with hot chocolate and s'mores. Not hats, mittens, or gloves needed. The event is best for tweens ages 9-13.

What: Warm Winter Fun for tweens at Springfield Public Library

When: Monday, January 5, 2015 from 4:30-5:30 pm

Where: Springfield Public Library, Library Meeting Room

Additional Information: Contact LuCinda Gustavson at 541-726-2287

EARLY LITERACY CLASSES FOR KIDS & GROWNUPS

Join us for the kickoff of a six-week session of Early Literacy Storytimes for kids and their grownups. Each week we focus on a different element of early literacy: talking, singing, reading, writing, and playing. There is lots of fun for the kids and valuable information and resources for adults. You can register online through Willamalane and the class is completely FREE! The course runs for six weeks each Thursday at 9:15am beginning January 8, 2015. The classes last 45 minutes and we end as the library is opening for the day.

What: Early Literacy Classes for Kids & Grownups

When: Begins Thursday, January 8, 2015 at 9:15am (Runs for six weeks.)

Where: Springfield Library Meeting Room

Additional Information: wheremindsgrow.org/programskids.html, or contact Taylor Worley at (541)

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MAKE & TAKE ART @ THE LIBRARY

Join us on Friday, January 9, 2015 from 2-3pm for a fun "Make It & Take It Home" art program for kids. All ages are welcome! This month we are creating our very own scratch-art sheets. (We'll also have a GIANT one to work on together!) This project does involve paint, so painting clothes are recommended.

What: Make & Take @ The Library

When: Friday, January 9, 2015 from 2-3pm **Where:** Springfield Library Meeting Room

Additional Information: wheremindsgrow.org/programskids.html, or contact Taylor Worley at (541)

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READ IT! BOOK CLUB FOR TWEENS & GROWNUPS

Pick up the January selection, Kizzy Ann Stamps by Jeri Watts

Read It! is a parent-child book club for kids in 4th-6th grade and their favorite adult at the Springfield Library. On Saturday, January 10, 2015 at 2:30pm, the group will discuss *Kizzy Ann Stamps* by Jeri Watts. Come by the library and pick up your free copy of the book and sign-up at the children's information desk.

The book club is a great way to share the joy of reading and conversation, make connections, meet new people, think new thoughts and strengthen your relationship. Join us in the Library Conference Room.

What: Read It! Parent-child book club will discuss Kizzy Ann Stamps by Jeri Watts

When: Saturday, January 10, 2015 at 2:30pm

Where: Springfield Public Library Conference Room.

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